IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of

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For:

URATE OXIDASE ACTIVITY PROTEIN, RECOMBINANT GENE CODING THEREFOR, EXPRESSION VECTOR, MICROORGANISMS

AND TRANSFORMED CELLS

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

The Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

It is respectfully requested that an extension of time for the period indicated below be granted in accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) to take the action required in the application identified in caption, as reflected by the papers submitted herewith.

> First Month 110 (\$ 55) * _X_ \$ 250 Second Month (\$125)*Third Month \$ 480 Fourth Month \$ 480 (\$240)*

*(Small Entity)

TOTAL FEE:

\$840.00

A check in the amount of the above Total Fee is attached. This amount is believed to be correct; however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 19-0741. A duplicate of this Petition is attached for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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